

MEETING MINUTES
HARBOR & WATERFRONT COMMITTEE, HARPSWELL, MAINE
April 16, 2008

ATTENDING

Jim Hays, Amy Haible

Committee Members:

Present: Burr Taylor, Peter Darling, Bill Bartley,

Lands Committee member: Bob Waddle

Absent: Scott Moody, Len Duda, Bill Blood, Steve Rowe

Appointed members: George Lee Bradbury, Henry Schwartz

The meeting lacked a quorum

ACTIVITIES

1. Reviewed Pott's Harbor issues

- a. The issue of dinghy's being tied to the town dock, in violation of the ordinance was discussed at length.
- b. The discussion focused on the consequences of enforcing the ordinance.
- c. It was suggested that a freestanding float could be placed in the mooring area by the dinghy owners where the dinghies could be tied up. One or two dinghies would be allowed at the town dock with the permission for access to that float.

NEXT MEETINGS

May 21, 2008; 6:00 Town Office

ADJOURNMENT - 7:40 PM

P.S.

I wish (as always) that I had written this down during the meeting. Is this close to what we said?

The Harbormaster and the Harbor and Waterfront Committee are considering enforcing the ordinance, which says that no vessel (which includes dinghies) may tie up at the town dock for more than 30 minutes without permission of the Harbormaster.

Current dinghy owners could build a freestanding float for their dinghies. The Harbormaster could allow one or two dinghies for access to that float to tie up at the town float.

Please send your comments to the Harbormaster at the Town Office or to Burr Taylor (725-2802) at burraylor@gmail.com

This would be distributed to the TV station, the Town web site and I forget where else.